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Local News

Mr Frank Smathers left on Tuesday to attend the Post-masters' Convention in Calgary.

The W.A. will meet on Thursday July 12th at the home of Mrs Frank Durrant at 230

Rev. R. G. Wood who is now at Killam, visited in town this week.

A reunion was held at the home of Mr and Mrs A. Ray, on the occasion of the departure of Mr and Mrs Mendell who have been visiting from Butte, Montana. Those present included Mr and Mrs Wm Ray, Mr and Mrs Chas. Ray, Mr and Mrs Geo. Thomas, Mr and Mrs Leo Ray, Mr and Mrs A. J. Ray. A lovely dinner was served in the evening.

Rev. R. T. Harden the newly appointed United Church minister, arrived last Sunday, preaching at Alex in the morning and Mirror in the evening.

Rev Upton who had charge of this field in 1913, visited in town this week, renewing his acquaintances.

Rev Harden attended the Presbytery meeting at Trochu on Wednesday.

Mrs T. Walton and three sons, Ross, Thomas and Dougall left Saturday for a visit to Mrs Walton's parents in Stainer, Ontario.

Mrs F. Tulloch left last Friday for Dewberry, Alta., after a visit with her daughter, Mrs M. Watters.

Mr and Mrs Leslie Howard of Los Angeles and Miss Ruth Harris and Miss Edna Brewster of Edmonton are visiting with Mr and Mrs H. C. Brewster.

A triple mix-up occurred on Tuesday afternoon at the corner by Mr Baugh's residence, when Dick Hemrick collided with Lorne Gaudin and Jim Oldring who were travelling along main street. Fortunately there was nobody hurt.

Rev N. T. Hughson of Clive spent the holiday in town.

Mrs Mart Watters entertained a few friends Wednesday evening in honor of her mother, who left Thursday for her home in Dewberry, Alta., the evening was spent in cards. Mrs Winnie Oldring was the winner of first prize and the guest of honor received the consolation. The hostess was assisted by Mrs L. L. Ray, during the evening. Mrs Tulloch was the recipient of a beautiful clock, presented by Mrs Oldring on behalf of those present.

A farewell was tendered the District Master Mechanic, Mr A. Mays, who was transferred to Jasper district, when the shop employees and official assembled in the Imperial hotel on Monday. Engineer J. Purcell, on behalf of the shop employees, presented Mr Mays with a beautiful writing set, the latter replied in a few well chosen words, and also expressing the need of co-operation between employees and the officials.

The residents of Big Valley were summoned on Monday afternoon to assist in the search for the two year old son of J. W. Cohrs. A very thorough search was made but to no avail. It is thought that the child has met his death in a slough.

School Examinations

Following are the results of the summer examinations of the Mirror Public School:

Grade II promoted to grade III possible marks 500.

Arnold Finer 481, Murray Hyslop 447, John McLeod 441, Kathleen McKennie 437, Margaret Williams 422, Ross Walton 414, Kenneth Astle 413, Olga Stranadka 403, Muriel Hopkins 398, Charles Davies 395, William Shurgole 392, Evelyn Bennett, 380, June Ray 379, Anna Junget 378 Irene Simpson 357 Franklin Webster 344, Marjorie Chapman 321, Evelyn Gillis 278, (recommended for spelling).

Grade I A, promoted to grade II senior, possible marks 400:

(Doris Moller 356 Dorothy Whiting 356) Bertha Noble 350, Hazel Cornack 344, Harris Clark 334, Carl Schultz 332, Dickie Hartigh 288, Jean Sutley 287.

Grade I B promoted to grade II junior, possible marks 400:

Glenn McLeod 358, Kathleen Finch 357, Ruth Olson 344 Doug Setters 331, Betty Rowden 325, Lloyd Jewell 323, Lois Watters 284, Joe Briggs 285, Alice Jewell 283, Ebel Phelps 284, Robb Webster 283, Francis Gillan 269, Leslie Smathers 244, Paul Estell absent.

Gwendolyn Johnson, teacher.

Grade VI total marks 700.

Laure Brannager 595, Teddy Godard 525, Kathryn Williams 515, Thelma McKenzie 514, Edna Cook 505, Walter Holditch 490, George Morgan 477, Ruby Hume 468, Agnes Whiting 462, Eric Brier 459, Jean Spiece 438 Mary Taley 435, Verna Ferguson 425, Frances Hume 420, Velma Brackney 410, Gertrude Junget 397 Glen Sutley 397, Jack Spice 367, Dougall Walton 338.

Grade VII, total marks 800.

Jack Stranadka 557, Mattie Zacharuk 502, Bert Crook 481, Arthur Jewell 468, Sydney Moller 465, Jean Cairns 473, Holger Junget 466, Edward Oldring 468 Eleanor Watters 407, Aretha Cook 397, Claud Bennett 364 Steven Bachur 297, K. D. Stewart, teacher.

Grade V total 800.

Bulah Campbell 676, Julia Williams 674, Peggy Morgan 669 Ray Thomas 661, Anna Saley 638 Norwood Saries 620, Althea Spiece 620, Frank Whiting 612 George Brannager 611, Dorothy Bennett 595, Thomas Walton 536 Helma Pederson 479, Laura Pederson 468.

Grade IV total 700.

Peter Nobes 599, Norton Smith 598, Doris Jewell 576, Val Junget 559, Edwin McKenzie 542, Horace Sutley 528, Harry Jaques 485 Stanley Crook 454, Jack Morgan 446, Ronald Oldring 436, James Brackney 425.

Grade III total 700.

(Audrey Watters 625, Robert Nobes 620, Ina Conway 616, with honors) Carl Olson 578 Margaret Thomas 568, Ronald Hall 564, Joyce Campbell 510, Althea Chapman 482, Marjorie Taylor 380, Jim Devereaux 331, Isabel Thomas 291, Fred Estell, absent, Gertrude Panucker, teacher.

Mrs H. G. Williams and family left today for Bonner's Ferry Idaho, where they will spend a month with Mrs Williams's mother.

ELKS SPORTS IS A SUCCESS

The Elks' Sports "went over the top" this week when the weather man favored us with some choice Alberta sunshine.

The refreshment stands were well patronized, 175 dozen buns, 150 lbs of wafers and 14 tubs of ice cream being consumed.

The results of the baseball games for the \$300 prize money were as follows:

Monday, Bashaw 6 - Clive 2 Mirror 10 - Alex 0. Mirror girls 16 - Bashaw girls 5.

Tuesday, Clive 14 - Alex 1. Bashaw 4 - Mirror 2.

Some exceptionally good play was witnessed at the girls' game when Mirror's good reputation as a baseball town was upheld. The line-up was as follows: Aretha Cook, catcher, Emma Durrant 1st base, Ruth Jewell 2nd base, Laura Brannager 3rd, Isabel Cairns short stop, Virginia Brannager left field, Frances Holditch pitcher, May Durrant right field.

Mirror line-up, Tulloch pitcher Ray catcher, Paton 1st base,

Murray 2nd base, Wiggins 3rd, Cairns short stop, McNair right field, Goinick centre, Wiggins left.

The boys' and girls' races were held on the first day, including a tug o' war in which the Mirror school girls succeeded in towing the Bashaw boys. The grassy park was next liberated and was captured by Norman Ray.

A closely contested race was staged between C. Peterson of Edberg and Ben Holt of Bashaw with a purse of \$5.00.

The local Elks wish to express their gratitude to all those who helped to make the sports day such a successful event.

A very enjoyable time was had last night, Wednesday, at Mr Jones's music recital. A dance was held also.

Dr. A. M. Watson DENTIST

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MIRROR, BASHAW, ALLIANCE

Canadian Arctic Explorer Heads Expedition For Purpose Of Locating the Magnetic Pole

In quest of treasure relics and to conduct important Arctic research work, Major L. T. Burwash, now colonel, Arctic exploratory engineer and Canadian government official, will leave shortly on a 5,000 mile jaunt to end at a magnetic pole.

Travelling by rail, boat and dog team, Major Burwash will traverse nearly 800 miles of icy Arctic waters, with only native Eskimos, a stray trapper or, fur trader, to assist him to navigate a forty foot government launch. His destination, the magnetic pole cannot be reached until late in September or October. His task will not be completed before the autumn of 1929.

At "the top of the world," Major Burwash will make a scientific examination to determine the extent to which the magnetic pole has shifted since Amundsen made his investigation about 1908. Each year the magnetic pole varies in a westerly direction; and its present position, once secured, will be noted on the charts of mariners who sail the Arctic seas. Records of the ill-fated expedition of Sir John Franklin—central figure in the chapter of Arctic exploration of the nineteenth century—will also be sought by Major Burwash. The two ships, "Erebus" and "Terror," carrying the Franklin party, last entered near the magnetic pole in 1845. Some of the records were found on Boothia peninsula; and it is said that one of those ships may be seen in the Arctic ocean somewhere near King William Island or Boothia Peninsula. If this theory is found to be correct, the ship may be lifted to obtain for Canada the invaluable records and relics believed to be aboard her.

Conditions among the Eskimos north of the districts of Mackenzie and Kewatin will be examined by Major Burwash; and his survey in that district will be the first since the care of the Eskimos was transferred from the Indian department to the North West Territories and Yukon branch early this year. An examination of navigating conditions in Franklin Strait and Peel Sound will be made; and, in addition, Major Burwash will investigate the proposed tractor-trail route from Wager Bay on the west coast of Hudson Bay to Cuckburn Bay south of King William Island.

Use Modern Methods

Birds Ride On Airplanes and Horses On Motor Trucks

Airmen find that birds are not afraid of airplanes as they used to be. Now the birds make use of them to help them along in their flights. It is not uncommon, airmen say, to find that on twenty-five looking a ride, all comfortably settled on the machine and fed relieved of much effort and fatigue on a long flight.

Not long ago we saw two horses being hauled to market on a motor truck at a western fair. They seemed interested in the scenery. —Casper's Weekly.

To Preserve Children

Take one large grassy field, one half dozen children, two or three small dogs, a bunch of broom and some pebbles. Mix the children and dogs well together and put them in the field, stirring constantly. Pour the broom over the pebbles and sprinkle the field with flowers. Spread over all a deep blue sky and bake in the hot sun. When brown remove and place in a bath tub to cool. —Health Bulletin.

First Lamb—"Do you suppose it's safe to go onto that lawn while the dog's asleep?"
Second Lamb—"Well, I wouldn't gambol on it."



"Look here, why are you following me about all day?"
"For protection. My wife has threatened to beat me!" —Buen Humor, Madrid.

W. N. U. 1740

A YOUTHFUL RULE



Martanda Sydney, 12-year-old son of the late Rajah of Pudukkottai. The rajah died recently of internal complications in the American hospital at Neuilly, Paris. The rajah was 53 years old. He was the ruler of the Indian province of Pudukkottai, but had his residence in Cannes, while his brother acted as his regent. Martanda Sydney will assume the position held by his father.

Turning the Tables

Automobile Receives Bill For Damage Done To Locomotive

Tony Striker's warning to automobile owners is this: When driving your car into a railroad train be careful. Not to damage the locomotive. Tony's car and a Grand Trunk train were involved in an argument over the right-of-way at Western Avenue near 104th Street, Chicago, last November. The automobile wound up in a ditch in a status described by wreck writers as "twisted wreck."

Recently Tony got a letter from the Grand Trunk Railroad. It made no mention of his automobile, confining itself to the following succinct sentence: "Inclosed please find bill for \$20.18 for damage to our locomotive No. 6038."

Getting Over the Difficulty

A man who had great difficulty in spelling words that had "ed" and "ie" in them mentioned the matter to a friend.

"Oh," said the friend, "I have a splendid remedy for that. It's infallible, too. I've used it for years and never been let down yet."

"The first man expressed his delight and interest, then waited for enlightenment."

"The rule is this," the friend declared, "Write your 'e' and 'ie' as they are, and be sure and put your dot exactly between the pair of them."

Not Much Competition

The immigration office was exceedingly so Englishman on his arrival in New York. "And what do you propose to do now you are in the United States?" he inquired.

"Oh, I don't care," replied the Englishman hopefully. "Anything to earn an honest living." "Well, come along in, then," said the official. "I guess there ain't much competition in your line of business."

Up-To-Date Shop

Fifth Avenue, New York, has a shop dealing exclusively in aviation products and accessories. Everything is for sale, from airplane goggles to a commercial ship. The shop maintains hangars on Long Island with a corps of instructors to teach those who make purchases.

The heavier the critic the more cutting the criticism.

ALL FOODS CONTAIN WATER

Body Gets Sufficient Even If People Drink Little

Water is absolutely essential if the body is to keep up its activities. It is necessary not only to aid in building up the tissue, but in order to permit the carrying on of all of the chemical and physical functions that take place.

Most of us get more water than we drink as such through the fact that practically every food substance contains some water and most of the beverages are practically entirely water. Milk contains 88 per cent water, wines anywhere from 85 to 90 per cent, and even distilled alcoholic drinks are usually more than one-half water.

If both food and water are withheld, life cannot be prolonged for more than eight or ten days. With air and water life can be prolonged for a considerable time, even though food is not given. Professional fasters always drink water during the starvation period. Some of them carry on from three to five weeks without food.

Milk is probably the best of all beverages, particularly when it is taken from properly inspected cows under sanitary conditions, transported under clean conditions to the place where it is used, and pasteurized in most instances before use. Lemonade and other drinks made from citrus fruits are excellent because they counteract acidity in the body and serve as a valuable source of vitamin C.

Ten and coffee are good beverages if taken in moderation; if taken in excess, overstimulation may result due to an overdose of the drug called caffeine, which has the power of stimulating the higher centres of the brain. Tea varies in its quality according to the manner in which it is prepared.

One expert recommends that the proper way to make tea is to put it off the leaves after five minutes, putting it in another warmed teapot.

Soda water, pop, and similar beverages have a certain value; due to the amount of carbonate they contain. —By Dr. Morris Fishbein.

Sure To Be Successful

It is yearly becoming more difficult to persuade young doctors to practice in the country. Young doctors who have plenty of courage and are determined to succeed and who seek to settle in the country and practice their calling there in an intelligent manner make a quicker and bigger success than three-fourths of their colleagues who have settled in the cities. If they do not actually attain great fame, which is reserved for a few, public life often takes hold of them, bringing honors with it.

Must Have Been Some Clock

The Provost of the little Scottish town was noted for his unhappy choice of phrases, but he comforted himself on the occasion of the presentation of a clock and a purse to a local resident who was leaving the town.

"The contents of the purse," said the Provost, "will thus inevitably disappear," but he added, placing his hands on the clock, "here is something which will never go."

PREMIER OF NEWFOUNDLAND



Hon. W. S. Monroe, premier of Newfoundland, is to resign office next month, it is reported. Pending a general election in the fall he will probably be succeeded by Sir John Bennett, colonial secretary.

Asphalt Highway Across Canada

Union Of Canadian Municipalities Has An Ambitious Program

Immediate construction of an asphalt highway right across Canada was urged at the 28th Annual Convention of the Union of Canadian Municipalities at Winnipeg. Dominion and Provincial Governments will be memorialized as to the necessity for such a road. It is estimated that the cost would be \$20,000,000 and construction would occupy five years. It would afford to motorists access to much of the most beautiful scenery on the continent, and in view of the vast number from the United States who are now touring in Canada each summer the expenditure would not be without direct financial returns.

Developing Talc Industry

Establishment Of A Manufacturing Plant In Calgary Is Being Considered

National Talc, Limited, is considering the establishment of a manufacturing plant in Calgary to utilize the raw talc deposits of the Rocky Mountains. About seven miles of the new road up the Red Earth Valley from Massive to the blue talc property on Red Mountain were completed last summer and work is again proceeding with the idea of completing the road by August. Production will be started on the blue talc property as soon as weather conditions permit. The American Lava Corporation of Chattanooga, Tennessee, are reported willing to purchase all of this year's production of the plant.

Spain Insures Travellers

Beginning July 1, all persons travelling by rail or water in Spain will be insured against accident, the cost being added to the price of boat or train tickets. The insurance covers injuries to passengers first and carrier employees next. Proceeds will be devoted to an agency encouraging tours in Spain.

Footprints, taken on the lines of our criminal system, are now being used for identifying criminals in Ceylon.

Geographical Misconceptions That Have Retarded The Development Of Canada



Long-Waisted Slip-On Dress

Long-waisted slip-on dress with open neck and diagonal pin tucks. Open-pleat, long darted sleeves or short sleeves. Attached, three-piece skirt. Separate belt. Two cascade trimming pieces attached to left side of waist and skirt. For ladies and misses.

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Pattern No. Size

Name

Town

The fact that Nero was a fiddler instead of a successful player has been some satisfaction to the Romans.

Great political reforms are set in motion by the hand that rocks the cradle.



POLOSKO AND HANDICRAFT FESTIVAL

This orchestra playing Ukrainian airs, the members of Ukrainian origin and arrayed in peasant costume of that country, made a great hit at the New Canadian Folk Song and Handicraft Festival, held at the Royal Alexandra Hotel, Winnipeg, from June 19 to 23. Over 400 performers, representing different European nationalities, participated.

Partial knowledge and assumptions based on insufficient data have been responsible for many mistaken judgments and beliefs in obstacles that had no real existence. Evidence of this is abundant in the pages of history, and the process of revising and rectifying long-established opinions continues with little sign of abatement. Truth recently belief persisted that the interior of the island continent of Australia was a rocky and barren desert, where explorers ran grave risk of perishing miserably for lack of water. Now, with more extensive and accurate knowledge, the vast central region of Australia has assumed a widely different aspect, with many districts well adapted for productive use, and with ample water resources, that only need to be tapped to make the wilderness blossom as the rose.

Canada is now undergoing a similar process, with the result that many obstacles to unification of interest, once deemed insuperable, are now disappearing in the light of better knowledge. Not so long ago men whose views were regarded as authoritative saw in the clay belt of North America and in the so-called barren lands of the great Northwest barriers that doomed Eastern and Western Canada to perpetual isolation, one from the other. These imaginary barren and infertile tracts occupied an area amounting approximately to one-sixth of the total area of the Dominion. But recently these ideas remained fixed convictions in the minds of most Canadians, accepted as hardships imposed by nature and incapable of more than alleviation to a limited degree. Gradually, through the penetration of these regions by the surveyors and prospectors of the topographical agency, it has increasingly become evident that the older conception is due for radical revision.

Officials and travellers, in the days when Central and Western North America were unknown quantities, registered judgments and opinions that now seem ridiculous. A British official is said to have condemned the territory, now occupied by the states of Oregon and Washington, as worthless because the mass of one of its numerous streams would use a favorite artificial fly. How the name "Harron Grounds" came to be applied to what has been proved to rank among the most fertile areas in the world is contained in the account of the exploratory journeys of Henry Kelsey in the last quarter of the seventeenth century. Among that traveller's longest journeys one came between 1690 and 1692, when he journeyed from Port Nelson on Hudson Bay westward by way of the Hayes and Saskatchewan rivers. Undertaken primarily to investigate the fur trade possibilities of the country, its agricultural potentialities never seem to have dawned on him.

A thousand miles north of Kelsey's route, beyond the northern limit of the Canadian west and stretching to the Arctic Ocean and Hudson's Bay, are the Great Northern Plains, in which his descriptive epithet has been mistakenly transferred. The picture drawn by the explorers of today, marks the Brandon Strip, reveals a tract of gently undulating country with lichens and mosses on the hills, and shrubs, flowers and grasses flourishing in the valleys. True, no trees grow north of the timber line, and certain areas lack vegetation, but the greater part of the region is as far from being barren that it actually supports at the present time, in addition to the fur-bearers and small-oxen, hundreds of thousands of caribou.

German Has Gargoye Clock

Stettin, Germany, the home town of Otto Peizer, the great runner, has one of the most unique tower clocks in Germany. In the centre of its huge dial there is the terrifying face of a bearded man who every second rolls his eyes from right to left like a bogey man. In his opened mouth he holds a metal plate on which the day of the month is recorded. The clock bears the inscription 1736.

Calgary Flying Field

The City of Calgary has decided to purchase a flying field on the north hill, almost overlooking the Bow River. It affords an ideal jumping off place for aircraft. Used in inspection from airplanes in the latest device under construction by the Alberta government. Fields infested with stinkweeds are conspicuously denuded from the air from their contrast with clean fields.

The Farm As An Industrial Adjunct

Edison Thinks Farm Should Produce Something Besides Food

The common conception of the farm is that it is designed solely to produce those things by the cultivation of which we are enabled to live. Having fulfilled that purpose, there is no other field or purpose for the farm.

But Thomas A. Edison advances a new thought in this connection. He says the farm should be made an industrial adjunct as well as a food producing medium. "We over-produce food," says Mr. Edison, "and prices are too low to give the farmers a profit. So the extension of non-food uses for farm products is a sound, practicable and important idea."

Just now Mr. Edison is experimenting with some hundreds of wild plants that will grow in various parts of this country, to test their rubber producing qualities. Up-to-date he has collected some 1,000 of these. The seeds of 1,400 will be shown in his experimental plot of nine acres. So far it has been found that 40 of our wild plants contain rubber. At least twelve of them, says Mr. Edison, will grow on the southern coast lands without injury by frost. "Golden rod, plain golden rod that grows wild in nearly every state, is one of the best sources of rubber that I have found among native wild plants," he announced.

One does not have to go further to discover the benefits of Edison's thought. That some of the energies of the farmer will be turned in the future to the production of things that are needed in the industrial field. Some advance in that direction has been made in utilizing what used to be waste material of the farm. Straw makes paper and cellulose is obtained from extra stalks. And, of course, we do not eat cotton or flax. However, if Mr. Edison goes on to encourage the farmer to grow golden rod for its rubber, we hope that he will be able to divert it of its propensity to spread hay fever afflictions.—The Daily Courier-Express.

A Great National Asset

Holiday Travel Has Increased Canada's Revenue By Millions

Holiday travel is taking a place with the automobile as one of the great assets. According to government returns, revenue from vacationists to the Dominion grew from \$167,744,400 in 1920 to \$190,463,000 in 1926. It is estimated that in 1925 the favorable balance of tourist traffic, after deducting the expenses of Canadians in other countries, amounted to \$100,420,000, representing an incalculable export exceeded only by Canadian wheat and lumber. In 1927 all the provinces recorded increases in travel over the previous year, and the total revenue accruing to the Dominion from this source is declared by the minister of the interior to have been approximately \$200,000,000. It is estimated that this total will be doubled within the next ten years.—Regina Leader.

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CHINESE ARE NATURALISTS

Have Greater Knowledge Of Insects Than Any Other Country

Chinese folk have many odd ways of enjoying themselves and utilize many odd creatures and things to contribute to their idea of pleasure. For instance it seems strange to the residents of this country that should be cultivated and cared for because of their fighting powers and musical ability.

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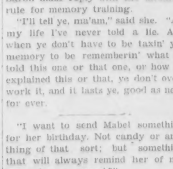
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Illustration Stations

Total Of 193 Stations Are Now In Operation

The Illustration Stations Division of the Experimental Farms reports an increase for the fiscal year ending March 31, 1926, of 46 stations, bringing the total up to 193. From these stations last year there was sold to farmers in the vicinity of each 30,912 bushels of seed grain, 13,000 lbs. of grass and clover seed, 20,680 lb. of grain and seed potatoes, 266 purebred bulls and heifers, 106 pigs, 165 sheep, 607 cockerels, 632 pullets, and 1,523 dozens of eggs.

These illustration stations are chosen by Experimental Farms officials in districts where it is felt it will be of advantage to introduce in a practical way the work being done by the Experimental Farms. The owner of the farm continues to operate but does so under the supervision of an expert appointed by the Dominion Department of Agriculture. By this system each station becomes a centre for the growing and distribution of high grade seed, purebred stock, and also as a demonstration station for the best type of cultural methods.

One of the outstanding accomplishments of the Illustration Stations is the production of clover seed in British Columbia. The first clover seed ever produced in British Columbia was harvested last year at the Prince George and Salmon Valley stations.

Standardizing Honey

Preparing Grades For The Better Merchandising Of Product

The Dominion Department of Agriculture in co-operation with the handlers of honey are engaged in the preparation of grades for the standardizing of honey. It is intended that such grades apply right to the export trade.

Canada exports honey to the United Kingdom, France, Belgium, Denmark, Germany, Holland, Norway, Sweden, and the United States. These exports have had last year at the Prince George and Salmon Valley stations.

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Fame Is Waning

Few First Places Left For Trans-Atlantic Flight

Whoever was sitting forthrightly in Miss Amelia Earhart's aeroplane "Friendship" when it crossed the Welsh coast, was the 100th person to fly across the Atlantic Ocean. With the first flight by a woman, one secondary record remains to be made besides successive ones of distance, duration and speed.

One of that of being the first woman to fly Westward. Since Sir Arthur Whitten-Brown and Sir John Alcock made the first non-stop flight in 1919, fifteen persons have made similar air crossings in planes.

Seventy-eight persons have flown across in airships and of these 29—the crew of the British R-31—have made the round trip. The R-31 made the round trip in five days.

Of the non-stop aviators, Lindbergh, Byrd, Chamberlin, Brook and Schiele and Miss Earhart followed the trail blazed by Brown and Alcock. The Bremen flew Westward.

The U.S. Navy's first flight across the Azores, taxiing on the part of way, four United States planes crossed via Iceland. Four crews of aviators have made the South Atlantic crossing since Captain Sandara and Coutinho of Portugal showed the way in 1922—a flight listed in few reference books. They used four aeroplanes altogether in the flight from Lisbon to Rio de Janeiro, but they flew all the way.

Fish Of Northern Lakes

Study To Be Made This Year Of 'Finny Tribes In Waters Of'

The Fort McMurray Board of Trade recently initiated a movement to have an ichthyological and hydrographic survey made of Great Slave Lake and Lake Athabasca and their connecting and tributary waters. It is pointed out that while there have been surveys of nearly every kind in the north country a good deal of ignorance exists on its fishes. It is known that in Legend Lake there are lampbrush, salmon, and in Lake Athabasca six species of trout and three of whitefish, but a survey is requested to reveal accurately the territory's fish and fish food.

Unsuspected company had turned up just in time for dinner and Little Lucy was told privately that she and her mother would have to have oyster soup without oysters.

The child was very flattered at her share in this splendid sacrifice to hospitality and was apparently disappointed when she found one small oyster in her portion.

Holding it up in her spoon she turned to her mother and in a stage whisper inquired:

"Mother, shouldn't Mrs. Mop have this oyster, too?"

Crusoe's Island Profitful

A recent survey of Juan Fernandez Island, on which Alexander Selkirk, the reputed original of Robinson Crusoe, lived for four years, showed the island to be one of the most fruitful spots in South America. Every imaginable plant seems to grow on the island. One Frenchman was shipwrecked on the island forty years ago. He likes it so much that he refuses to leave.

General Manager of Radio Corporation of America declares that radio has saved the world \$60,000,000 in communication charges, but at what cost?

Encourage Flower Growing

Flower exhibitions of all kinds merit encouragement. They have an important part in the life of the community, because they stimulate the development of lovely lawns and gardens and when you have thousands of citizens working along these lines, the general improvement of the appearance of your community must be marked.

NEW MANAGER FOR MINAKI LODGE



A. H. Mould (inset), has been appointed manager of Minaki Lodge, the summer resort of the Canadian National Railways in the Lake of the Woods district. The appointment of Mr. Mould is in keeping with the growing importance of this summer resort which, with its new main building and bungalows, is regarded as the finest east of the Rockies. A portion of the new main main building, the first tie of the golf course and a part of the tennis courts are shown in the photograph. Minaki opened for the season on June 23.

INSECTS OF THE FLOWER GARDEN

Knowledge Is Necessary To Successfully Combat These Pests

While the loss in field crops annually from the depredations of insects is estimated to run into hundreds of millions of dollars, damage to garden crops is relatively no less serious. While the damage done in the fields and orchards may not be as apparent to the observer it is perhaps even more annoying when it is happening to roses, irises, dahlias, and many others of the beautiful crops of the flower garden that are continually under observation.

In combatting the bugs and worms that work in garden crops, it is necessary to have some knowledge of their life history and habits. An observation of how the insects feed will help materially in deciding the proper remedy to apply. To assist gardeners to understand these matters, the Department of Agriculture, at Ottawa, has issued Bulletin No. 90, entitled "Insects of the Flower Garden and Their Control," by Mr. Arthur Gibson, Dominion Entomologist. The author points out that injurious insects may be divided roughly into two classes by the nature of the damage they do which indicate whether they destroy by eating the leaf substance, or by sucking the juices from within the leaves or stems. Insects are further divided into beneficial and injurious, each in a score of the destructive ones is pictured, named and described and instructions given for its control. This bulletin, which is obtainable from the Publications Branch, of the Department, will be found particularly useful to rosarians who, at this season of the year, will find it recommended to treat the rose buds that do great damage not only to roses, but to delphiniums, the snapdragon, and the columbine, by arsenical sprays and powders, also the spider or plant lice that yield readily to sprays of dilute nicotine.

Many Unknown Heroes

Scientists Are Seldom Given Credit For Being Contagious

The men who have given themselves in the cause of science would make a noble roll of honor, though of many of them the world at large has never heard but vaguely. Their exploits are not spectacular, or as a rule, set in picturesque surroundings. The imagination of all of us responds to the picture of the alchemist precariously poised in his frail ramshackle over merciless waters, or to the explorer isolated among the Polar wastes, fighting for his life in a blizzard. The scientist in his laboratory overall just off one of our familiar streets is not at first sight so romantic a figure. He has left his commonplace home that morning and gone by the bus or the train, which will carry him back to his commonplace home again at night. We find it hard to realize that in the interval he may have been facing wild adventure with the courage of a Lindbergh or a Scott.—London Evening Standard.

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Upkeep Of Mental Hospitals Is Costly

Reaches Nine Million Dollars Yearly In Canada, Says Dr. Hicks

"In Canada there are more people in mental hospitals than there are in all the general hospitals put together," declared Dr. C. M. Hicks, medical director of the Canadian National committee for mental hygiene, during an address at Edmonton recently.

Continuing to quote from figures which he has compiled during ten years of experience with mental hygiene work, Dr. Hicks stated that at present there are 24,000 people in mental hospitals in Canada, and an equal number suffering from severe mental disorders are scattered among the various communities. Between fifty and seventy-five million dollars is invested in mental hospitals in Canada, making the annual cost of mental institutions about nine million dollars a year, or a dollar a head for each Canadian. In addition to the 50,000 insane, there are approximately 60,000 mental defectives in Canada, and many thousands more are suffering from nervous diseases.

The speaker strongly condemned the general attitude of normal people toward the insane, pointing out that insanity or mental disease was no more of a disgrace than any other sort of disease. Thousands are now happily insane because their parents, fearing the diagnosis of insanity, delayed taking them to mental experts when treatment might have been successful.

"The insane have not a single symptom that the average person has not experienced, in a milder form. Delusions correspond to the prejudices which many unconsciously retain in the face of the most convincing proof that they are wrong. Negativism, the inactivity of the mind, the tendency to be alone in stolidness intended to the highest possible degree."

Relic Of Roman Era

Stone Scar Is Interesting Curio At Oxford Museum

Among the interesting curio to be found in the museum at Oxford, England, is a huge stone scar. It is carved as though from a man's face, many thousands of years old, which once encircled it in two places, and has the usual prickles at the corners where the stone was carved the opening. All over the stone can be seen the marks of the coarse sucking which once covered it. Its history is long. Some years ago it was fished up in the Thames below London Bridge, where it must have lain for centuries. Some workers in the time of the Romans was carrying this sack of cement from a boat to the shore, when the burden slipped from his shoulders into the water. There, under the action of the water, it became solid, and as years passed away, the sack at last rotted off, leaving only the hardened cement within.

Rubber Trees Vary In Yield

Experimenting with rubber trees in Haiti show a wide variance in the yields of trees. The experiments, which were conducted over a period of three years, revealed a difference that ranged from less than a thousand cubic centimeters of milk for a single tree in a given period to more than 10,000 for another tree in the same period.

Putting It Strong

A colored preacher was trying to explain the fury of hell to his congregation.

"You all is seen molten iron runnin' out from the furnace, ain't you?" he asked.

The congregation said it had.

"Well," the preacher continued, "de place dat stuff for ice cream in de way what I'm talkin' about."

Six hundred chauffeurs in Panama are organizing to form a tourist agency.



"I am very nervous. I want a sensation which will not answer me back."

"I have just what you want—a foreign telephone operator."—Ray Bliss, Phila.

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Another Step Toward Permanent Peace

Throughout the years of the Great War, the people of the allied nations were repeatedly told that it was a war to make the world safe for democracy, "a war to end war." And when at last the great struggle ended and the League of Nations came into being it was thought that, with the bitter experience of the war fresh in all minds, there would be little hostilities on the part of any country to join the League, and that, with 100 per cent. world membership in the League, world disarmament would follow in due course.

The refusal of the United States to have anything to do with the League of Nations, the very country in which the idea originated, came as a rude shock to all lovers and advocates of peace. It discouraged Europe, re-awakened all the old fears, and actually led to renewed activity in the piling up of armaments. Nevertheless, the League struggled on, gaining new adherents, and, with each succeeding success in settling international disputes and preventing open ruptures, the League grew in strength and prestige. Nonetheless, so long as the United States remained aloof it was felt that the structure for world peace was imperfect and insecure.

Because of this fact, the recent action of Mr. Kellogg, United States Secretary of State, in inviting the nations of the world to enter into a multilateral treaty to outlaw war, was enthusiastically welcomed by all lovers of peace, and nowhere quite so heartily as in Canada and other parts of the British Empire.

Already fifteen nations, including, with the exception of Russia, all the Great Powers, have signed their willing consent to a treaty. The draft of this momentous international document is brief and to the point, and, as it may well prove to be the Magna Carta of world peace, it is worthy of the widest possible reproduction in order that all people, everywhere, may read it. The preamble, in part, is as follows:

"Deeply sensible of their solemn duty to promote the welfare of mankind,"

"Persuaded that the time has come when a frank renunciation of war as an instrument of national policy should be made to the end that the peaceful and friendly relations now existing between their peoples may be perpetuated."

"Convinced that all changes in their relations with one another should be brought only by pacific means and be the result of a peaceful and orderly process, and that any signatory power which shall hereafter seek to promote its national interests by resort to war should be denied the benefits furnished by this treaty."

"Hoping that, encouraged by their example, all the other nations of the world will join in this humane endeavor, and by adhering to the present treaty as soon as it comes into force, bring people within the scope of its beneficent provisions, thus uniting the civilized nations of the world in a common renunciation of war as an instrument of their national policy."

Then follow the names of the fifteen nations, who have signed their willingness to sign such a treaty, namely: Australia, Belgium, Canada, Czechoslovakia, France, Germany, Great Britain, India, Irish Free State, Japan, Italy, Poland, Spain, South Africa, United States of America.

To what do they agree? Having approved the declarations in the preamble quoted above, they bind themselves as follows:

"Article I. The high contracting parties solemnly declare in the name of their respective peoples that they condemn recourse to war for the solution of international controversies, and renounce it, as an instrument of national policy in their relations with one another."

"Article II. The high contracting parties agree that the settlement of all disputes or conflicts of whatever nature or of whatever origin they may be, which may arise among them, shall never be sought except by pacific means."

"Article III. The present treaty shall be ratified by the high contracting parties named in the preamble in accordance with their respective constitutional requirements and shall take effect as between them and as with all their several instruments of ratification shall have been deposited at."

"This treaty shall, when it has come into effect as prescribed in the preceding paragraph, remain open as long as may be necessary for adherence by all the other powers of the world. Every instrument evidencing the adherence of a power shall be deposited at."

"The treaty shall immediately upon such deposit become effective as between the power thus adhering and the other powers parties hereto."

"That is the whole document, beautiful in its simplicity, momentous in its sweeping renunciation of war under any and all circumstances. It does not replace the League of Nations, but adds power and strength to it. No trophies are left, and should any nation signing this treaty ever again resort to war it would become, as never before, an outlaw among the nations."

Substitutes Cards For Pistol

Affair Of Honor In Czechoslovakia Settled In New Way

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A Wonderful Performance

Recent Flight Over Pacific Was Great Achievement For Flyers

The great flight over the Pacific Ocean by the Australian, Captain Kingsford Smith, leader, and his companions, puts British prestige at the peak in this form of endeavor. The "Southern Cross" winged its way to some under control of four men, each performing an essential part in making the trip scientifically easy and sane. This feature alone raises the Pacific flight out of the category of regular daredevil stunts and enhances notably the merit of the performance. Regular radio reports received from the Southern Cross during its flight robbed the journey of some sensational features beloved of the crowd, but detracted not a bit from the glory won by its flyers. Their accomplishment is the more valuable because they made use of every possible device to combat the fury of the elements with man's best weapons.

HOW DELICATE GIRLS ARE MADE STRONG

Rich, Red Blood Needed To Keep Up Their Vitality

It should be borne in mind that delicate girls need plenty of nourishment, plenty of rest, and regular out-of-door exercise. But a lack of these things, which girls are inclined to hinder progress, tends to the weak, thin-blooded girl who must have new, rich blood, and nothing meets a case of this kind so well as Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. These pills not only enrich and increase the blood supply, but they stimulate the appetite and aid digestion, relieve the weary back and limbs, bring new life and health and strength, and transforming anaemic girls and women into healthy, happy people.

The value of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills in the case of anaemic girls is proved by the story of Miss Lucy Stoddard, Margareville, N.S., who writes: "From childhood I was in an anaemic condition. I was very thin and nervous, and I had no appetite and had to desire to take part in the things of those of my age. My mother got tired after having taken me to the doctor, and finally she told me that she did me very little good. Then Dr. Williams' Pink Pills were recommended and almost from the first they seemed to be just what I needed to restore my health. After taking the pills for a time I felt an altogether different girl. I got up in the morning feeling bright and active, and ready for work or play. Since then I have always taken a couple of boxes of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills in the spring as a tonic, and have kept in the best of health."

Every weak girl should promptly take Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, feeling sure that the pills will promptly restore her health. You can get the pills from any medicine dealer or by mail at 50 cents a box from Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Show Canadian Films

Views Of Canada To Be Shown In Britain and Central Europe

"Seeing Canada" films, made by Canadian Government, will be shown in London from May 20 to June 10, this year as well as in Germany and Central Europe, says Captain Patrick Bagdeley, M.C., director of the Canadian Government Motion Picture Bureau, upon his return from the Great Britain. He expressed a belief that in the near future Canada would become an important factor for the British Empire policies.

Eskimo Census Taken

A census of the Eskimo people has just been completed. From the most reliable sources it is estimated that there are 7,108 Eskimos in Canada.

Many mothers have reason to bless Mother Graves' Varmint Ejector, because it has relieved the little ones of suffering and made them healthy.

Yesterday is a waste-basket when lost opportunities are dumped.

BABY GIRL HAD DIARRHEA WHEN CUTTING TEETH

Mrs. A. J. Murray, of Lake, Mich., writes: "Last summer, my baby girl was cutting teeth, and became very weak, with the effects of diarrhea. I didn't know just what to do for her as she could retain nothing. At last one of my neighbors said to me, 'Have'n' you any'."

DEWLOWERS EXT.-OF-STRAWBERRY

Why, I wouldn't be without it when there are children.

My husband went to town and got a bottle, and the very first day he was wonderfully, and in three days she was well over the diarrhea and was running around as well as ever."

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A teaspoonful of Gillett's Lye sprinkled in the Garbage Can prevents flies breeding

Use Gillett's Lye for all Cleaning and Disinfecting

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The Sioux Lookout Map Sheet

Where the Miner's Pick Now Displaces the Tomahawk

The Sioux Indians were among the handiest as well as the most courageous and warlike of the aboriginal inhabitants of North America.

Their memory is perpetuated in the Sioux Lookout map sheet of the National Topographic series, now issued from the press of the Topographical Survey of Canada. The new map embraces an area lying 120 miles north from Lake Superior and adjoining the Lac Seul map sheet on the west.

The town of Sioux Lookout gets its name from the precipitous hill overlooking it. From the top of the hill, in days gone by, the Ojibways whose land it was, kept watch up and down the waterways from raiding Sioux. On one occasion the lookout slept and the Sioux fell upon the camp. They tomahawked the warriors to a man, and destroyed all the canoes. The women and children with one excepted old man were marooned upon an island near the site of the present town, and there they starved to death. The island is still called Squaw Island.

This country with its broken lakes and streams, teeming with fish and game, with rapid and waterfalls, is a tourist's paradise. Here are old fur trading posts like Oneabush House, founded over a century ago, of the Hudson's Bay Company has a four-hundred foot canyon. (Ingrate to the region is by way of the Canadian National Railways and thereafter by unimpaired connecting waterways with launches, lugs, or canoes.)

This territory is part of the newly discovered mineral horizons emphasized on the area known as the Great Canadian shield.

The Sioux Lookout map sheet of the National Topographic series, may be obtained in sheet form from the Topographical Survey, Department of the Interior, Ottawa, for the nominal fee of 25 cents. If desired in folder form or linen backed the fee is 50 cents.

For Both Horse and Stable.

There is a good deal of similarity, physically speaking, between human beings and the lower animals. Both are subject to many ailments arising from inflammation and to all manner of cuts and bruises. Dr. Thomas' Eucalypti Oil is an entirely reliable remedy for such ailments and mishaps in both human beings and the lower orders of animals.

A Great Germ Carrier

Common Housefly Covered With Deadly Disease Germs Says Scientist

The common housefly is literally covered with bacteria and deadly disease germs. Scientists have estimated that many flies carry as many as 6,000,000 germs. This estimate is determined as follows: As a fly is placed in a small bottle of water, the body of water is then shaken so that the germs will be washed off the fly, and they will be equally distributed throughout the water. A tiny drop, perhaps a millionth part of the water, is then placed on a glass slide and examined under a powerful microscope. The scientist counts the number of bacteria visible, say six. He then multiplies the six by 1,000,000, since there are about 1,000,000 drops in the bottle, and his answer is that the fly carried 6,000,000 bacteria.

Manx, the native language of the Isle of Man, is dying out: fewer than 1,000 of the island's 60,000 inhabitants have now any working knowledge of it.

Suburban? Use Minard's Liniment.

France Has Too Much Coal

Production Rises Until There Is No Need To Import

France, desperately short of coal for ten years, and always an importer, now has too much of it. For the first time French production equals consumption and imported coal is threatening to break the market.

When the Germans flooded French coal mines in the north during the World War, France lost half her fuel and it has been a long struggle to get back to normal. Not only was the pre-war figure of 40,000,000 tons annually reached, but last year it went up to 60,000,000 and the Saar Valley has added another 13,000,000 tons a year.

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Railways Arrange New Circle Tour

Convenient Visit To Glacier, Waterton and Jasper Parks Is Made Possible

An arrangement has been completed by the Great Northern and Canadian National Railways to make available to tourists a circle tour of three of the greatest playgrounds in the world. Under it tourists will be able to visit Glacier National Park, Waterton, without loss of time and at a considerable reduction in cost.

The inter-change point between the two companies will be Calgary where passengers for Jasper will take the Canadian National Railways and those for Waterton and Glacier will take the Great Northern. The auto and the trains will make connections and summer tourists fare will apply in both cases. In the past it has only been possible for travellers to combine these places on one visit by making a round-about and expensive rail trip.

In Glacier and Waterton Parks the Great Northern Railway operates a number of splendid hotels, among which are The Prince of Wales Hotel, the Glacier Park Hotel, and the Many Glaciers Hotel. In Jasper, the Canadian National Railway operates Jasper Park Lodge, a unique and distinctive summer resort.

Don't Cause Asthma.

Even a little speck too small to see will lead to agonies which no words can describe. The walls of the bronchial tubes contract and it seems as if the very life must pass from this condition. Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy brings the user to perfect relief and relieves the passages of normal breathing is firmly established. The thousands of testimonials received annually prove its effectiveness.

Find Blue Best Color

Blue is the most effective color to attract policemen at night, according to tests made by city officials at Sheffield, England. The city has just installed in outlying districts booths surrounded by powerful blue lamps, which when lighted by a switch in central office, summons the policeman from their beats to nearby telephone to receive instructions.

HECULES PERMANENT BUILDING PAPER

Between the Brick and the Plaster

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Another Great Possibility

Passengers May Soon Be Transferred From Moving Train To Brightline

Transfer of passengers to and from moving trains by dirigibles was described at Belleville, Ill., as a "practicable possibility of the near future," by Col. John A. Fargus, veteran commandant of Scott army field.

Fargus based his opinion on the successful "dirigible-to-train" transfer of mail, in which a 210-foot non-rigid blimp synchronized its flying speed of 30 miles per hour with that of a moving Illinois Central train.

The dirigible came to rest on top of a coach for a period of five seconds—long enough to effect the transfer of a pouch of mail without difficulty.

The army blimp which made the test carried a crew of six men.

URGE WHOLESALERE SOCIETY TO COVER ALL OF CANADA

Lloydminster, Sask.—By its annual move the congress of the Co-operative Union of Canada in session here, went on record as being of the opinion that it was essential for the establishment of a wholesale society covering the whole of Canada. This is set out in a resolution passed which, further urged co-operative wholesale societies to attach an official to their Montreal and Winnipeg depots who will assist in the development of the movement in Canada.

Another resolution was approved, providing for the appointment of a committee to investigate the practicality from the view point of economics, of a Canada-wide wholesale society, an organization for the three prairie provinces only, as well as other factors having a direct bearing on the whole question of co-operative co-operation.

All co-operative marketing organizations throughout the Dominion will be issued a circular inviting them to affiliate with the Co-operative Union of Canada. The importance of having the Wheat Pools affiliated with the Union was especially emphasized.

While the desirability of having all co-operative organizations "knit up" was stressed by different speakers on the subject, it also developed that the annual membership fee of affiliated bodies would help to solve the financial difficulties of the central office.

The resolution as passed follows: "That the appeal be made to the Wheat Pools that was made last year in order to increase the efficiency of the Union, and that the various co-operative marketing organizations be invited to affiliate with the Union."

One delegate put a motion suggesting that the fee of the wheat pools be placed at one cent per bushel. This motion however, was never put. One fraternal delegate representing the U.P.C., contended that it appeared that the invitation to the pools to affiliate was for the express purpose of financing the Union.

The only co-operative organization not holding membership in the Union is the United Grain Growers. It was stated by Secretary George Brown, in a question asked by J. H. Weson, a director of Saskatchewan Wheat Pool, Mr. Weson replied to a question asked by the speaker that the fact that the U.G.G. had membership in the Union could be considered an obstacle to the pools becoming affiliated. He did not, however, give any indication that the pools would join.

A resolution suggesting that of Canadian provinces and territories machinery to insure functioning annually, financial and business liaison of co-operative societies in their respective provinces was approved by the congress.

World's Dairy

Congress Opens

Forty-Five Countries Represented At Conference in London

London.—Sixteen hundred delegates, representing 45 countries, assembled in London for the World's Dairy Congress under the auspices of the International Federation, whose patron is the King.

Lord Dunsborough, president of the British Imperial Council of Commerce, presided. Hon. W. R. Morrison, Canadian Minister of Agriculture, is representing the Dominion, while the delegates also include Lord Lascelles.

The program is twofold, comprising presentation of technical and scientific papers, etc. and the visits to the dairying centres of England and Scotland.

Celebrates Anniversary

London.—The Duke of Connaught, former Governor-General of Canada, celebrated the sixtieth anniversary of his entry into the army by entertaining the members of the army council, the Duke, who recently observed his 75th birthday, enjoys wonderful health and remains a constant source of public and social engagements, although he has eliminated evening engagements.

Receives Promotion

Winnipeg.—Robert Nelson Munroe, assistant division commissioner of Immigration for Western Canada, has been promoted to a post in the Dominion office at Ottawa, according to word received.

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Wireworms Damage Saskatchewan Crops

Report Shows Activity Was Unusually Severe This Spring

Regina.—The greatest damage done to Saskatchewan crops this year is by wireworms, according to the report issued recently by the Dominion Entomological Laboratory, Saskatoon, on insect conditions. Much of the damage attributed to wireworms is in reality due to wireworms, it is stated, "retarded" damage appears to have been unusually severe this spring due to the prevailing dry weather, the use of much unreliable seed grain and the fact that moisture was sufficiently high to enable the wireworms to keep working on much of the seed and particularly the lower part of the stem," says the report. "A certain degree of recovery has been noted as a result of the recent rains, which, however, may tend to lengthen the period of wireworm activity." The report tentatively infers that the wireworm infestation now includes an area in the Lloydminster-Meadowdale District and the area in the west-central area is unusually abundant in Western Saskatchewan.

Wrong Man Executed

Tragic Miscarriage Of Justice Reported From Germany

Berlin.—"We therefore have no doubt that this unfortunate man was condemned to die and executed for a murder of which he was completely innocent."

This is the sensational statement with which the Mecklenburg-Strelitz Ministry of Justice confesses to a shocked public a miscarriage of justice, which is described by Berlin newspapers as the most terrible in German history within the last 50 years.

The announcement was accompanied by the dramatic disclosure that four men on whose evidence the prisoner had been condemned have been cleared and it has been confessed that they themselves committed the crime for which this innocent man had suffered death.

Drowned When Car Plunges Into River

Accident Happened When Driver Took Wrong Turn In Fog

Charlottetown, P.E.I.—Three young people, all natives of Charlottetown, P.E.I., were drowned, and two others narrowly escaped a similar fate, when a touring car took a wrong turn in the fog, and plunged into the river, at Southport recently. "The deaths of the three survivors were all brothers and sisters."

George Walsh had driven the car here from New York, and took his brother and sisters out motoring last night. They lost their sense of direction in the thick fog, and making a wrong turn, plunged over a wharf into the river.

Search For Lost Continent

Expedition Has Left New York For The Azores

New York.—An expedition in search of traces of the supposedly "lost continent" of Atlantis has sailed for the Azores.

The expedition's ship, named the Atlantis, was designed by Columbus O'Donnell, 2nd, of New York, captain of the expedition, and is equipped with machinery invented by Tesla, which is expected to dredge the ocean bottom at a depth of three miles.

All Murders Are Solved

London.—Twenty-seven murders were committed in London last year, all of which were solved, according to a report by the Police Commissioner. Twelve persons were charged and ten murderers committed suicide, while one died in an asylum. The value of property stolen was \$5,971,000. Property recovered amounted to \$650,000.

Jews Promise Three Millions

London.—The Jews of the United States were pledged to raise annually a minimum of \$1,000,000 to make up for the next five years the annual budget for the rebuilding of Palestine, a Jewish national home, in accordance with the terms of the mandate of the League of Nations entrusted to Great Britain.

May Try Westward Crossing

Park.—Another Westward crossing of the Atlantic by aeroplane may be attempted early in July. The trans-Atlantic aeroplane of Maurice Drouin and Joseph Leblond is expected to be a commercial venture. Leblond said in a speech at Lyons.

Lord Plumer Vacating Post In Palestine

Has Held Position As Commander For Three Years

London.—The greatest Marshal Lord Plumer will shortly vacate the high command of Palestine, which he has held since 1925. The Daily Express, in an article from its Jerusalem correspondent, says that the retirement will be brought about by Lord Plumer's differences with the British colonial office over the division of the cost of the Trans-Jordan force as between the British and the Palestine. Palestine has already a budget deficiency of \$5,000,000.

Lord Plumer commanded the army during some of the most important operations of the Belgian front in the war, in some of which the Canadian forces took part. He was specially mentioned for good work in connection with railway and forestry building in Palestine. He is 71 years old, as a matter of fact, had Canadian Canadians constantly with him during the war and he also commanded men from the dominions in the South African war.

RESEARCH WORK IN CANADA TO RECEIVE IMPETUS

Ottawa.—Industrial and scientific research work in Canada will receive an impetus as a result of a visit made to Washington by Hon. James Malcom, minister of trade and commerce, and Dr. Henry Marshall Tory, president of the national research council of Canada, who have returned to Ottawa. Mr. Malcom and Dr. Tory obtained a bird's eye view of what is being done in the bureau of standards at Washington with the object of introducing the latest methods in Canadian laboratories, to be located in Ottawa, and with the purpose of co-ordinating research efforts throughout the Dominion.

Mr. Malcom emphasized the fact that it is not the intention of the federal government to duplicate what is being done in the universities or provincial government laboratories in Canada, but rather to secure cooperation and eliminate overlapping. The national research council will assist Nova Scotia, according to the statement of that province and to the experts of other provinces in their particular district. Financial aid will be given to scientists working in the various universities.

Plans for the new Canadian laboratories to be established on a ten-acre site at the Dominion Experimental Farm, at Ottawa, are now in course of preparation and the government is confident the national research council, working in conjunction with the provinces and the universities, will accomplish notable work in connection with the economic development of Canada.

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Dock Workers Turned Joke Into Reality

Antwerp, Belgium.—An imitation strike turned out to be a real one with 11,000 dock workers calling off work in the harbor of Antwerp and refusing to listen to the pleas of the shippers to return to their jobs. The affair started out as a joke.

Two Communists bicycled around the harbor, telling the surprised dockers that the union had declared a strike to get a raise of 10 francs (40 cents) a day. The union officials immediately decided to make the strike a real thing.

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"Big Tim" Murphy Slain

Assaults Two Machine Gun Men To Finish Gang Leader

Chicago.—"Big Tim" Murphy, Chicago labor leader, was shot and killed at his home at 2513 Morse Avenue, in the exclusive Rogers Park district, by assassins who attacked him with machine guns.

An automobile parked on a side street a few hundred yards away threw its glare of lamps on the labor leader as he stepped from the basement doorway, his silhouette reflected by the basement lights.

In response to a call, "Who is there?" Big Tim was answered by the rat-tat-tat of a machine gun. He fell into the area-way, his brother-in-law grabbing his body and dragging it into the back-alley dining room.

Mr. Murphy returned home on the brother-in-law, Harry Diggs, brought her husband's body into the room. The former state representative and labor leader apparently was in the direct line of fire from the machine guns, as Diggs escaped injury. Diggs said he saw "four or five men in a big automobile" and that he was a neighbor said he at first thought the firing was some kind of a premature funeral for July celebration.

He learned that Big Tim was shot.

May Merge Wireless and Cable Interests

Report Of Pacific Cable Conference Is Available

London.—The Evening Standard said that it understood an announcement was expected immediately to the effect that the government would approve a merger of wireless and cable interests. Consequently, Marconi (the cable) and the British Electric Telegraphs were also active.

Pending report of the Pacific Cable Conference, which has been meeting in London for some time, rumors have been spread of a huge merger of wireless cable and wireless telegraph to take over from the various governments of the Empire the present system of Imperial communications.

Canada is interested as a part operator of the Pacific cable system, the revenue from which has in recent years been unsatisfactory.

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BRITISH LABOR PARTY OPPOSES LARGE PENSION

London.—The customary pension of \$20,000 annually for retired members of the House of Commons was attacked in the House by the Labor Party, when Premier Stanley Baldwin moved a resolution granting the annuity to Rt. Hon. J. H. Whitley.

The official Labor Party amendment moved by Rt. Hon. J. H. Clynnes would have made the pension \$5,000, but it was defeated by a vote of 224 against 103.

The resolution favoring the customary pension was then passed. Mr. Clynnes emphasized that the Labor amendment was not any attempt to minimize the value of Mr. Whitley's services as a speaker. He thought there existed a real case for revision of the anomalous arrangement to the speakership, in view of the heavy expenses in connection with the office. He proposed, however, that the pension of \$20,000 was unjustifiable.

Rt. Hon. Ian MacPherson on behalf of the Liberals supported the amount of the pension which he considered might be regarded as "deferred salary."

After a few speeches by Labor members the premier intervened and appealed for an early decision without further discussion. He pointed out the fact that reduction was moved on principle, but pointed out that the speaker, like the premier, was absolutely free from accepting any business or seeking his own fortune.

The value of the pension today was much smaller than formerly, he added.

Jack James, Labor member from Shropshire, promptly offered to resign on pension of over \$5,000 immediately.

Working For Disarmament

League Of Nations Has Made No Progress This Year

Geneva.—A last effort to accomplish something tangible toward disarmament before the League of Nations' annual assembly convenes in September has been begun by the League's security and arbitration committee.

No secret was made of the committee's efforts to secure a treaty to be a ban on war in disarmament accomplishment, has developed nothing in the past.

The committee hoped to draft model security treaties for submission to the assembly as a basis for eventual disarmament treaties.

It had been admitted that a group of European nations would not disarm unilaterally, and the League of Nations have been effected guaranteeing them against possibility of attack.

As a result six model treaties of various kinds were drafted for submission at its present meeting, upon which the committee at its present meeting hopes to draft model treaties in their final form and submit them to the League for approval and action.

To Consider Kellogg Note

Japan Approves Of Latest Proposal To Outlaw War

Tokio.—The foreign office spokesman says that Japan was in complete accord with the latest proposal of Frank B. Kellogg, United States Secretary of State, who treaty to outlaw war. The cabinet was expected to meet soon, to consider the Kellogg draft, after which a reply would be sent. The spokesman said the government believed the proposed treaty did not to ensure the treaty would have any similar document in history.

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H. J. Goster, Sec.-Treas.
Mirror.

Lord Clarendon, Under-Secretary of State for Dominion Affairs in the British Government, sailed for England from Quebec on the Canadian Pacific liner "Empress of France," September 28th, bringing to a close an extended tour of the Dominion investigating the conditions under which the 3,000-family immigrant scheme is being carried out in Canada. His Lordship, who is chairman of the Overseas Settlement Board under whose auspices this scheme is being conducted, made the statement before his departure that he was greatly satisfied with the conditions among Britishers who have settled in Canada under this scheme. He personally visited over 100 families.



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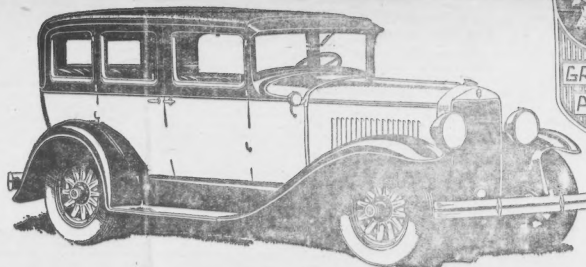
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